

SC Annual School Report Card Summary

Aynor Middle School

Horry

Grades: 6-8 **Enrollment: 627**

Principal: Robbie Watkins

Superintendent: Dr. Cynthia Elsberry

Board Chair: Joe DeFeo

PERFORMANCE

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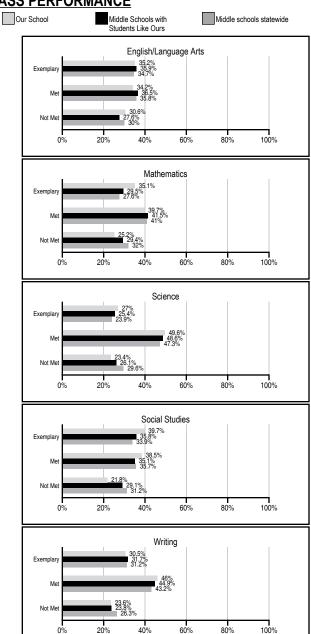
| YEAR | ABSOLUTE RATING | GROWTH RATING | PALMETTO GOLD AND SILVER AWARD | | ESEA/FEDERAL A | ACCOUNTABILITY RATING SYSTEM |
|------|-----------------|---------------|--------------------------------|-----------------|----------------|------------------------------|
| | | | General Performance | Closing the Gap | ESEA Grade | Accountability Indicator |
| 2013 | Good | Average | TBD | TBD | Α | N/A |
| 2012 | Average | Excellent | Gold | N/A | В | N/A |
| 2011 | Average | Average | Silver | N/A | Not Met | N/A |

ABSOLUTE RATINGS OF MIDDLE SCHOOLS WITH STUDENTS LIKE OURS*

| EXCELLENT | GOOD | AVERAGE | BELOW AVERAGE | AT-RISK |
|-----------|------|---------|---------------|---------|
| 5 | 16 | 38 | 0 | 1 |

^{*}Ratings are calculated with data available by 01/15/2014. Schools with Students Like Ours are Middle Schools with Poverty Indices of no more than 5% above or below the index for this school.

PASS PERFORMANCE



NAEP PERFORMANCE*

* Performance reported for SC and nation, data not available at school level. Parcentages at NAEP Achievement Levels

| READING - GRADE 8 (2011) | | | | | | | |
|--|--------------------------|----------|----|----|--------|--|--|
| South Carolina | | 28 | 45 | 25 | 2 | | |
| Nation | | 25 | 43 | 29 | 3 | | |
| % Below Basic % Basic, Proficient, and Advanced ■ Below Basic □ Proficient ■ Advanced | | | | | | | |
| MATH – GRADE 8 (2011) | | | | | | | |
| South Carolina | | 30 | 38 | 25 | 7 | | |
| Nation | | 28 | 39 | 26 | 8 | | |
| % Below Basic | | | | | | | |
| | SCIENCE – GRADE 8 (2011) | | | | | | |
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| END OF COURSE TESTS - 2013 | | | | | |
|---------------------------------------|-------------------|---|--|--|--|
| % of students scoring 70 or above on: | Our Middle School | Middle Schools with Students Like Ours | | | |
| Algebra 1/Math for the Technologies 2 | 100.0 | 96.2 | | | |
| English 1 | 100.0 | 95.6 | | | |
| Physical Science | N/A | N/A | | | |
| US History and the Constitution | N/A | N/A | | | |
| All Subjects | 100.0 | 95.8 | | | |

SC PERFORMANCE VISION

By 2020 all students will graduate with the knowledge and skills necessary to compete successfully in the global economy, participate in a democratic society and contribute positively as members of families and communities.

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SCHOOL PROFILE

| | Our School | Change from Last Year | Middle Schools with Students Like Ours | Median Middle School |
|--|------------|-----------------------|--|----------------------------|
| Students (n=627) | | | | |
| Students enrolled in high school credit courses (grades 7 & 8) | 20.3% | Down from 44.4% | 25.5% | 24.6% |
| Retention rate | 1.6% | Up from 1.4% | 0.7% | 0.6% |
| Attendance rate | 95.2% | Down from 95.4% | 95.8% | 95.9% |
| Served by gifted and talented program | 24.9% | N/A | 20.8% | 18.5% |
| With disabilities | 15.7% | N/A | 14.1% | 13.0% |
| Older than usual for grade | 5.0% | N/A | 5.4% | 4.8% |
| Out-of-school suspensions or expulsions for violent and/or criminal offenses | 2.7% | Down from 3.4% | 0.8% | 0.6% |
| Annual dropout rate | 0.0% | No Change | 0.0% | 0.0% |
| Teachers (n=39) | | | | |
| Teachers with advanced degrees | 74.4% | Up from 70.0% | 61.6% | 61.5% |
| Continuing contract teachers | 84.6% | Up from 75.0% | 83.3% | 77.2% |
| Teachers returning from previous year | 94.2% | Down from 95.0% | 88.1% | 85.9% |
| Teacher attendance rate | 94.4% | Up from 94.1% | 94.4% | 94.9% |
| Average teacher salary* | \$56,899 | Up 1.0% | \$48,386 | \$47,313 |
| Classes not taught by highly qualified teachers | 1.4% | Up from 0.0% | 0.8% | 2.0% |
| Professional development days/teacher | 15.7 days | Up from 13.9 days | 9.1 days | 10.1 days |
| School | | | | |
| Principal's years at school | 1.0 | Down from 8.0 | 4.0 | 4.0 |
| Student-teacher ratio in core subjects | 24.0 to 1 | Up from 21.3 to 1 | 22.3 to 1 | 22.1 to 1 |
| Prime instructional time | 87.0% | Up from 86.6% | 89.4% | 89.6% |
| Opportunities in the arts | Good | Down from Excellent | Good | Good |
| SACS accreditation | Yes | No Change | Yes | Yes |
| Parents attending conferences | 94.0% | Down from 100.0% | 98.5% | 99.0% |
| Character development program | Good | Up from Average | Good | Good |
| Dollars spent per pupil** | \$9,123 | Up 5.7% | \$7,170 | \$7,239 |
| Percent of expenditures for instruction** | 61.0% | Up from 60.0% | 64.0% | 63.0% |
| Percent of expenditures for teacher salaries** | 57.0% | Down from 57.9% | 61.0% | 61.0% |
| ESEA composite index score * Length of contract = 185+ days. | 90.4 | Up from 89.6 | 84.5 | 83.5 |

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EVALUATION RESULTS

| | Teachers | Students* | Parents* |
|--|----------|-----------|----------|
| Number of surveys returned | 41 | 156 | 53 |
| Percent satisfied with learning environment | 82.9% | 76.3% | 88.7% |
| Percent satisfied with social and physical environment | 97.5% | 80.1% | 81.1% |
| Percent satisfied with school-home relations | 92.8% | 85.9% | 79.2% |

^{*}Only students at the highest middle school grade level at this school and their parents were included.

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REPORT OF PRINCIPAL AND SCHOOL IMPROVEMENT COUNCIL

The School Improvement Council for Aynor Middle School has prepared this School Summary Report for you and the members of our community who are interested in our school. The report reviews the progress made on our strategic plan for increasing student learning, the test scores, and the goals accomplished during this school vear. This year we had: 16 eighth graders recognized as South Carolina Junior Scholars, 13 eighth graders recognized as Explore Scholars, Aynor Middle School Math Counts Team competed in regional competition, 39 students were recognized for All County Chorus, The Choral/Drama Program received a grant from MACY's to help produce the musical "Yes, Virginia!". Four performances were held in November. The program raised \$1200.00 through the Choral/Drama Production's "Letters to Santa" and given to the Make a Wish Foundation through MACY's Department Store. 2 students participated in the SC Music Educator's Solo/Ensemble Festival and both received superior ratings for their performance. AMS hosted the SC Regional SSA (Soprano, Soprano, Alto) Clinic - 350 students from the lower region of the state participated.

7th and 8th grade Chorus competed in the SC Regional Choir and received an Excellent Rating in Performance and an Excellent Rating in Sight- Sing-in. 7th and 8th Grade Chorus competed in Hershey Pennsylvania in a national music festival. The Girl's Choir won first place in the 1-A School Division and the Mixed Choir won 2nd place in the 1-A School Division.3 Choral Students auditioned for the Coastal Carolina Summer Arts Program and received full scholarship tuition to the one week Music Camp to be held in June on the CCU campus.5 students were recognized for All County Band, one student was recognized for All-Region Band, and one student for All-State Band, 3 students made All-County Orchestra, and 180 students participated in high school athletics, If you have any questions about the information in this report or want a copy of the school's strategic plan, please call me at anytime at 843-358-6000.

Robbie M. Watkins, Principal and Kathy Hucks, SIC Chair.

^{**} Prior year audited financial data available.